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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Kousuke ANZAI et al.  
Serial No.: 09/583,952  
Filed: May 31, 2000  
For: METHOD FOR EMBEDDING INFORMATION AND  
EXTRACTING THE SAME  
Group: 2623  
Examiner: B. Le

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 9, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2005, the period for reply thereto being extended one month by the attached Petition for Extension of Time to expire December 9, 2005, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** are included following the amendments.